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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed August 6, 2008. This response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2 of this paper.

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